

SOCIETY

Continued from Fifth Page.

Association building, under the auspices of the Faithful Circle of King's Daughters.

The entertainment will be for the benefit of the Summer Rest.

Miss Roberta Allen, who assisted at the original production of the "Freaks," will be the efficient chairman of the occasion and many of the characters will be taken by the same persons who played them so perfectly about a year ago.

Nothing will be spared by the ladies interested in their efforts to make the evening of April 15th as its predecessor its drawing power as its predecessor.

The "beauty girl," "the dog-faced man," "Mrs. Sandow," "the strong woman," "the dwarf" and "the wild girl," will all be in evidence. The society element of Richmond, willingly lending its aid as before in bringing out the star performance of the season.

Colonel Jo Lane Stern, who was the stage manager of "the freaks" at the bazaar and fulfilled his office admirably, will doubtless consent to take that part again.

Already much interest has been aroused by the rumor of "the freaks'" reappearance. Among the members of the Faithful Circle of Daughters are Miss Kate Meade, Miss Roberta Allen, Mrs. Alfred Meade, Miss Roberta Allen, Mrs. Alfred Meade, Mrs. Alfred Witherspoon, Mrs. George Warren, Mrs. V. J. Payne, Miss Virginia Berran, Miss Florence Taylor, Mrs. William Tallaferrro, Mrs. Turner Arrington, Miss Sallie Deane, Miss Elizabeth Townes, Mrs. John Reed, Mrs. C. M. Boswell, Mrs. Henry Warren and others.

Farewell Reception to Mrs. Whitlock.

An event of unusual interest to the members of the Valentine Kindergarten Mothers' Club was the reception tendered to the retiring president, Mrs. Howard Whitlock, on Thursday afternoon. Two days before the announcement was made that the club would lose its highly capable president by reason of her removal from the city. The news caused widespread regret, and the executive board met immediately for a special meeting, on Thursday afternoon, at the regular meeting, and business was suspended and a number of ladies present enjoyed with Mrs. Whitlock the ovation paid her. Resolutions embodying the members' sentiments were read, as follows:

Resolved, That we give formal expression of our deep appreciation of her earnest work and efficient direction of our efforts.

Resolved, That we shall work unflinchingly for the advancement of our cause, realizing that our success will be the crown of her untiring zeal.

Resolved, That we assure her of the many wishes for her happiness and that of her family, which the club sends in loving sympathy, in the hour of her departure.

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